



Docket No.  
23632-002

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

In re Application of: Dazhi CHEN et al.

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
09/461,336	December 15, 1999	Bryan J. JAKETIC	3627
Invention: <b>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR REDUCING EXCESS CAPACITY FOR RESTAURANTS AND OTHER INDUSTRIES DURING OFF-PEAK OR OTHER TIMES</b>			

**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of September 9, 2003 in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows: **SECOND month**

One month     Two months     Three months     Four months     Five months

The requested extension is as follows:

Large entity

Small entity

Verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. 1.27:

Is enclosed.

Has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$155.00 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check including the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- Charge the amount of the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0311. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-0311. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed

Dated: 2/4/04

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